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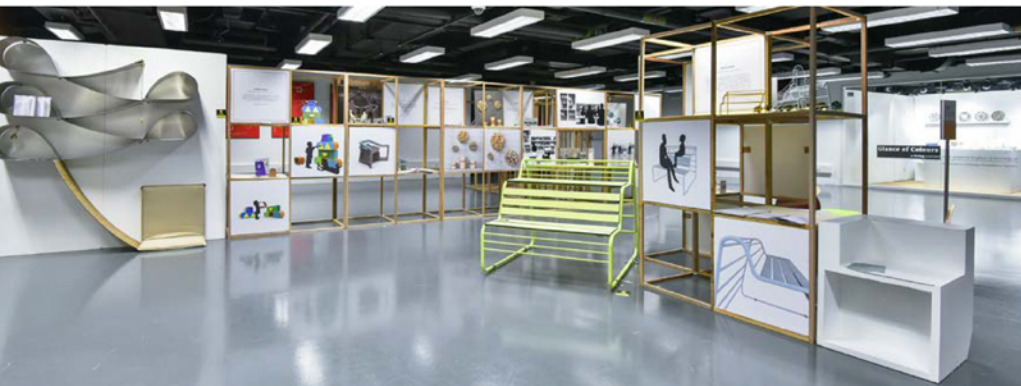
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FURNITURE SHOW AT HOME SQUARE

Launching in late August, the furniture show is a collaboration between HKDI, Hong Kong Furniture and Decoration Trade Association (HKFDTA) and Home Square. An exciting selection of innovative furniture designs by Hong Kong's first-ever furniture design course graduating class will be on display. By focusing on human needs, happiness and sociability, the designs in the exhibition challenge the limits of the design industry. The designs address the contemporary problems of interpersonal communication and the constraints of tiny living spaces, demonstrating how design can optimise cultural integration and make for better, happier living. From the furniture being exhibited, pieces will be awarded prizes in two categories; the winner of the jury prize will be selected by a panel of professional judges, while the public selection prize winner will be nominated by shoppers at Home Square.

FASHION ARCHIVE REVITALISATION

On 29 September selected guests will attend the opening ceremony of HKDI's revitalised fashion archive. Based in the Department of Fashion and Image Design, the Fashion Archive is a unique resource in Hong Kong with over 1500 fashion objects in the collection including period pieces, contemporary branded clothing, stage costumes, millinery, shoes, bags and jewellery. The revitalised archive has been expanded to serve as a platform to support teaching and learning, consultancy services and R&D projects while facilitating interdisciplinary projects. The archive will continue in its mission to improve the design community's understanding of design, fashion, culture and history while inspiring younger students with an introduction to the finer points of fashion. The first exhibition in the refreshed fashion archive will be Fashionlution, which will run from 13 September until 23 October 2017.



FASHION LEAGUE

Fashion League is an integral part of HKDI's annual Emerging Design Talents programme. The event was held at the prestigious Elements mall, adjacent to the new West Kowloon Cultural District from 6 to 14 June. Fashion League showcased the talent and creativity of the new generation of fashion designers for the public to enjoy. The whole event, from the brand concept through to the final execution was developed and run by five groups of students from HKDI's Fashion Branding and Buying programme.

CALENDAR



FRANK LLOYD WRIGHT AT 150: UNPACKING THE ARCHIVE, NEW YORK
Until OCT 1

Frank Lloyd Wright remains one of the most daring, iconoclastic and influential architects of the modern era, almost 60 years after his death. This exhibition at MoMA New York promises to delve deep into the Frank Lloyd Wright archive to give an insight into the multifaceted work of this radical architect and thinker.
moma.org



SMART WORKSPACE DESIGN SUMMIT, AMSTERDAM
OCT 12-13

This two day programme of talks, workshops and exhibitions addresses a critical issue of our time; how can work-life be made more productive, healthier and happier? The event will also include a series of webinars, so that anyone interested in how design can improve their working life can tune in and find inspiration.
smartworkspacedesign.com



WORLD DESIGN SUMMIT, MONTREAL
OCT 16-25

The World Design Summit is as ambitious as its name suggests. This gathering of practitioners from a diverse range of disciplines along with government and business leaders, industry representatives, media and NGOs, aims to address the theme 'how design can shape the future.'
worlddesignsummit.com



ADOBE MAX, LAS VEGAS
OCT 16-20

Adobe MAX is proof of the vast influence on Adobe's software over multiple disciplines. During the course of this five-day event, filmmakers, photographers, illustrators and designers will mingle with coders and musicians. Plus there will be hands-on workshops with the latest Adobe technology.
max.adobe.com